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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, CI, ELAB, UK

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE LABOR TEAM VISIT TO CHILE

REF: SANTIAGO 6367

1. HAROLD LEWIS, ASSISTANT GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT WORKERS' FEDERATION, CONFIRMS THAT THE ITF IS HOPING TO SEND A TEAM TO CHILE BEGINNING ON OR ABOUT NOVEMBER 24 FOR A PERIOD OF ONE WEEK. THE MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION ARE THE SAME AS REFERRED TO IN REFTTEL.

2. MR. LEWIS INFORMED US THAT THE ITF IS WAITING TO HEAR FROM GOC WHETHER IT WILL ACCEPT THIS DELEGATION. ITS DESPATCH, SAID LEWIS, IS PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION OF THE LAST ITF CONGRESS WHICH CALLED FOR A DELEGATION TO GO TO CHILE IN ORDER TO INVESTIGATE THE CURRENT SITUATION INVOLVING CIVIL AND TRADE UNION RIGHTS. THE ITF DELEGATION'S REPORT WILL FORM THE BASIS OF ANY SUBSEQUENT ACTION BY THAT ORGANIZATION. LEWIS ADDED THAT EITHER CHARLES BLYTH, THE GENERAL SECRETARY, OR HE, WILL JOIN THE DELEGATION.

3. JACK JONES IS GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE TRANSPORT AND  
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GENERAL WORKERS' UNION, THE LARGEST TUC AFFILIATE. HE

IS CONSIDERED THE SINGLE MOST IMPORTANT TRADE UNIONIST  
IN THE COUNTRY. A BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH, TOGETHER WITH  
SOME CLIPPINGS CONCERNING HIM, WILL BE FORWARDED TO  
SANTIAGO BY POUCH.

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